IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group Art Unit: Not yet assigned

Examiner: Not yet assigned

Serial No. Not yet assigned

Filed: March 26, 2004

In re Application of: Gillespie et al.

For: OBJECT POSITION DETECTOR WITH EDGE MOTION FEATURE AND

GESTURE RECOGNITION



Certificate of Express Mailing

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as Express Mailing Label No. EU975043905US, in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop Patent Application, Commissionler for Patents, P.O. Box, 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Stephanie Davis

CONTINUING APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b)

Mail Stop Patent Application Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Enclosed for filing please find the patent application for an invention entitled OBJECT POSITION DETECTOR WITH EDGE MOTION FEATURE AND GESTURE RECOGNITION, filed on behalf of Synaptics, Inc., Assignee from Inventors David W. Gillespie, Timothy P. Allen, Ralph C. Wolf, and Shawn P. Day.

This application includes 142 pages of specification, 2 pages of claims, 1 page of abstract, and 28 sheets of drawing figures.

Also enclosed are copies of the Declaration and Power of Attorney and three Recorded Assignments from the parent application, and a check in the amount of \$770.00 for the filing fee for a large entity. The attorney's docket number of this new application is SYN-088COB.

This application is a continuation of co-pending United States Patent Application Serial Number 10/351,208, filed January 23, 2003, which is a continuation of United States Patent Application Serial Number 08/899,317, filed August 12, 1997, now issued as United States

Docket No.: SYN-088COB

Patent Number 6,610,936, which is a continuation of United States Patent Application Serial

Number 08/623,483, filed March 28, 1996, now issued as United States Patent Number

5,880,411, which is a continuation-in-part of United States Patent Application Serial Number

08/320,158, filed October 7, 1994, now issued as United States Patent Number 5,543,591, which

is a continuation-in-part of United States Patent Application Serial Number 08/300,387, filed

September 2, 1994, now issued as United States Patent Number 5,914,465, which is a

continuation-in-part of United States Patent Application Serial Number 08/115,743, filed August

31, 1993, now issued as United States Patent Number 5,374,787, which is a continuation-in-part

of United States Patent Application Serial Number 07/895,934, filed June 8, 1992, now

abandoned.

Kindly address all communications regarding this application to:

Customer No. 28661

Kenneth D'Alessandro

Sierra Patent Group, Ltd. P.O. Box 6149

Stateline, NV 89449

Telephone (775) 586-9500

In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent

Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under

37 CFR 1.136 for any necessary extension of time to make the filing of the attached

documents timely, the Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge or credit

the difference to our Deposit Account No. 50-0612. A duplicate of this page is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

SIERRA PATENT GROUP, LTD.

Dated: March 26, 2004

Sierra Patent Group, Ltd.

P.O. Box 6149

Stateline, NV 89449

(775) 586-9500

Michael R. Johnson Reg. No. 55,306

2